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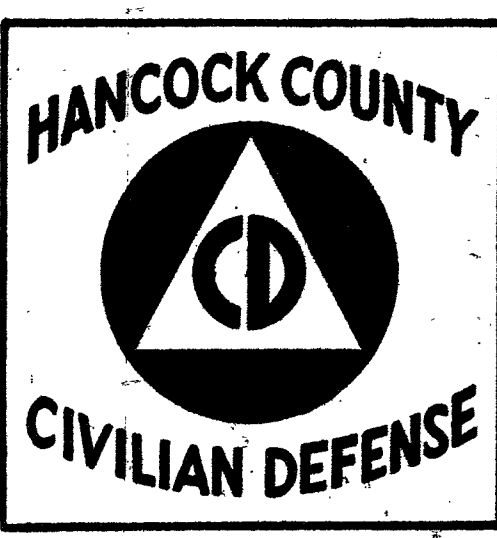
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On Monday, July 12th at 3 P. M. the following gentlemen Mr. Clifford B. Fligg, Regional Director, Public Advice and Counsel; Mr. B. Leo Wilson, Chief of Training Section; Mr. Lon Sullivan, Protection Division from the Civilian Defense Regional Office in Atlanta, Ga., and Mr. R. E. Steen, Assistant State Director from Jackson, Miss., met with the officers and department chiefs of the local Civilian Defense Volunteer Office in the Mayor's Office at the City Hall.

The meeting was most helpful and instructive, and those who attended came away with the feeling that training and mobilization at home, is as important at this time, as actual training for combat duty.

Mr. Wilson spoke on the need for constant activity and a continuous training program. The theoretical knowledge gained in the basic training courses will soon be forgotten if it is not used in practice. An Army man will come before surprise black-outs to work out some real bombing and incendiary problems, and will check on the efficiency of the Air Raid Wardens, Auxiliary Firemen, Rescue Squads, Messengers etc., in actual incidents.

Mr. Fligg told of numerous films to be had on the work of the different units. Mr. Wilson also spoke of the necessity of having trained fire guards—at least forty persons, in Bay St. Louis, must be trained in this work of knowing how to stop fires with garden hose and tools at hand, since in a real bombing so many fires are started at once that the fire department cannot attend to all of them. The Chief Air Raid Warden is responsible for this unit.

Mr. Sullivan, who is a volunteer worker, explained the use of the new Training Manual, condensed and brought up to date by Mr. Wilson. He told of talking to Lord Halifax and discussing the problems of Civilian Protection. We must be trained to save lives and property and not depend on the good will of patriotic citizens in case of the real bombing which may come. It is a grave responsibility and we will face it and be prepared.

IN CALIFORNIA



PVT. STEPHEN W. MAUFFRAY

Pvt. Stephen W. Mauffray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mauffray of Fenton is attached to 694th Quartermaster Battalion, and is presently located in a camp in California.

WITH SEA BEES



C. J. CARBONETTE

Machinist Mate 1c C. J. Carbonette son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carbonette of Aaron Academy community is a member of the Sea Bees and is somewhere in the Pacific.

He is married to the former Miss Rita Keaton.

WOMAN SOCIETY CHRISTIAN SERVICE TO MEET TUESDAY 20

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet on Tuesday, July 20 at 3:30 P. M., at the home of Mrs. C. C. McDonald.

MRS. ANGELINA G. LADNER, 103 YEAR OLD RESIDENT, DIES

Funeral Held Wednesday Morning—Buried at Fenton

Mrs. Angelina G. Ladner, 103 year old resident of this city died Monday, July 12th at 8 p. m. at the home of her daughter Mrs. Alfred M. Kingston in Biloxi following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held here Wednesday morning from her home with services at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church the Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch officiating. Father John Neimeyer officiated at the home and at the Fenton cemetery where she was buried.

She was a native of New Orleans but came to this county when yet a young girl and lived a part of her life at Fenton and Vidalia but for many years at Bay St. Louis near the little church, St. Joseph's Chapel, which she loved and which she took care of until sixteen years ago when she became blind.

She is survived by three daughters Mrs. Leontine Ladner and Mrs. A. J. Besancon of Bay St. Louis and Mrs. A. M. Kingston of Biloxi; three sons Theodore, Isaac and Claudia Ladner of Vidalia. She also leaves 47 grandchildren, 63 great grandchildren and 12 great-great grandchildren. She was the widow of the late Leon Ladner.

In the passing of Mrs. Ladner there has been removed from our midst our oldest resident and one of the fine Christian characters so rare. She was a devout member of the church and kept her deep seated faith and fortitude to the end. In spite of her affliction she was patient and loved to have her family and friends with her. She celebrated her 100th birthday with her family with her and the birthday cake and all other gifts which go to make up a happy birthday. In her presence it was hard to realize that she was past the 100 mark.

Beautiful floral offerings mark the spot where she is resting and many went from here to the funeral. Her pall bearers were her two grandsons Louis Ladner and William Kingston and F. J. Bopp, Ike Lang, Justin Green and E. H. Fahey.

Graduated From The U. S. Maritime Service Officers School

Homer Carmichael engineering officer of Bay St. Louis, Miss., graduated from the U. S. Maritime Service Officers School at historic Fort Trumbull, which is at the mouth of the Thames River in New London, Conn.

Members of the eighth graduating class of 200 officer candidates were presented licenses and commissions as ensigns in the U. S. Maritime Service at the impressive ceremonies. Members of the graduating class, all experienced seamen with a minimum of 14 months of actual sea time, completed a rigid four months' course qualifying them to take examinations for licenses as third mates or third assistant engineers.

Special prizes were awarded by Lt. Comdr. Edward F. Jaeger, USMS, Certificates of Merit for Excellence in studies to graduates in the Deck Department were awarded by Lt. W. E. Porter, USMS, Deck Training Officer and to graduates in the Engineering Department by Lt. Comdr. S. G. Fraser, USMS, Engine Training Officer.

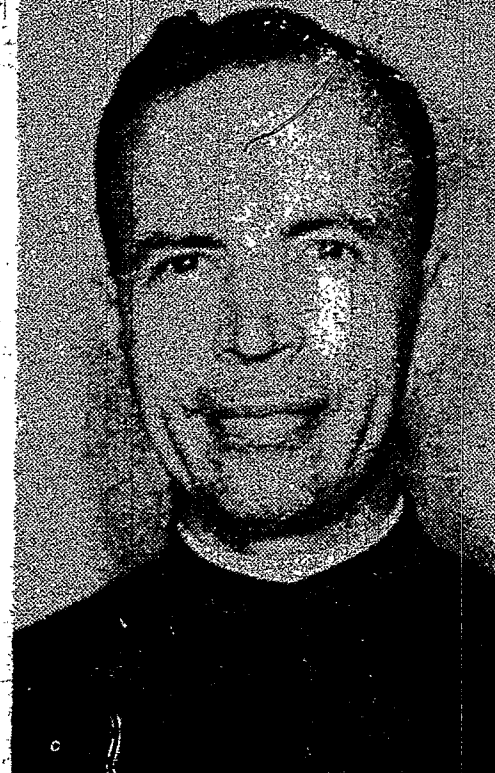
Following Invocation by Lt. (j. g.) Walter Jarvis, (Ch.C.), USMS, remarks were made by Comdr. John D. Bosler, USNR, Superintendent of the Officers School, and licenses and commissions were presented to graduates by Lt. Comdr. G. E. Griffith, USNR, Executive Officer.

Brothers In Pre-Flight Pilot Training

San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center, Texas—The latest class of cadets entering pre-flight training at the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center included 18 from Mississippi. At this point, the largest of its kind in the world, they will receive training to prepare them for entry into primary flying schools, from which their course of instruction leads to basic and advanced flying schools and the silver wings of army pilots. The new class includes two from Bay St. Louis: Aviation Cadet Luke S. Elliott, 109 Union St.; Russell J. Elliott, 109 Union St. The two sons of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Elliott from 3337 to 328.

There isn't any substitute for news from home. I appreciate very much your sending me the Echo. Yours truly, Cpl. Wesley Bourgeois, P. S.—My compliments to the Editor, Mr. A. G. Favre, a true friend, if I ever had one.

NEW RECTOR FOR ST. AUGUSTINE SEMINARY



VERY REV. JOS. BUSCH, S. V. D.

The Very Rev. Joseph Busch, S. V. D., is the newly-elected Rector of St. Augustine's Seminary, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

The Rev. John Gasper, S. V. D., who had been Rector of the Seminary for the past six years is now acting pastor of St. Joseph's Church in Meridian, Miss.

Father Busch was born October 30, 1903 at Decatur, Illinois. He attended St. James School, Decatur, Illinois, under Father Ostendorf, who has been a frequent visitor at the Bay. After graduation he entered in September 1918, St. Mary's Mission House, Techny, Illinois, where he was ordained priest of the Society of the Divine Word, May 14, 1931.

His first assignment was as teacher at St. Augustine's Seminary, where he remained from August 1931 to 1934.

Then he was transferred to the Holy Ghost Novitiate of the Society of the Divine Word, East Troy, Wis. In August, 1937, he was returned to St. Augustine Seminary where he acted as Novice Master and Spiritual Director of the Brothers. He also was instructor of Church History in the Major Seminary.

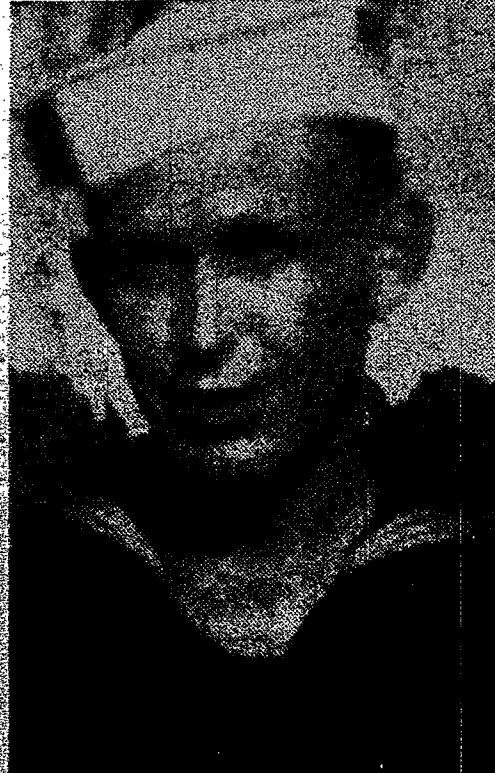
IN SAN DIEGO



OTIS HODA

Otis Hoda is a Pharmacist Mate 2/c in the United States Navy and is located at the destroyer base in San Diego, Calif. He has written the Echo expressing his gratitude and appreciation for the copies of the paper that he has been receiving. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Angela Hoda of Kiln.

OVERSEAS



HOWARD F. BAGLEY

Howard F. Bagley of Pearlburg is a member of the Sea Bees. He is the son of Mrs. Edith L. Bagley and is located overseas.

SHERIFF ILL

Sheriff H. L. Kergosien was stricken last Thursday night in his office in the Courthouse with a kidney ailment, and on Friday morning had to be removed to Toussaint Infirmary for treatment. He has returned home, but is still confined to his bed. The doctors report that he will be in for several days.

KINGS DAUGHTERS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE CONTINUES

Membership Costs \$1.35—New Room For Hospital Completed

Kings Daughters Circle announces that the membership drive is still open which gives anyone who has not been approached an opportunity to join. This cause needs no introduction to Bay St. Louis population as it is a cause which speaks for itself.

A membership costs \$1.35 and \$1.00 of that remains in the local fund for the maintenance of the buildings. Think this over and then take a look at the recent improvement.

A lovely new room recently built which releases a room for a special surgical room away from the kitchen and private. In addition to this is an X-Ray room and laboratory. Did you \$1.00 help build this?

In the new room is a bed with beauty rest mattress given by Mrs. Chas. G. Moreau in memory of her late husband who was a charter member of this circle. The room has also a chiffonade given by St. Margaret's Daughters.

Mrs. Alfred Vassalli and Mrs. Leo G. Ford serve as chairmen of the drive assisted by Mesdames C. G. Moreau, E. J. Arceneaux, G. Y. Blaize, L. M. Gex, W. J. Gex, F. R. Curran Claude Monti, Theodore Turduy, C. C. Ferrell, and Misses Odile Rauxet and Fannie Marquez.

If these ladies call on you you will know that it is for our very worthwhile hospital but you may send your membership to them.

CHURCH FAIR PLANS COMPLETED

Annual Looked Forward To With Much Interest—Amusement Provided For Everyone

The Church Fair is looked forward to each year by everyone and on Saturday July 31st and Sunday August 1st, folks from all around will meet on the grounds of Our Lady of the Gulf Church and help build up a large sum to pay their church debt.

Remember that the most important booth of all the Restaurant where the tempting aromas of hot dogs, delicious potato and chicken salad, ham sandwiches and cold drinks will draw you near and serve to furnish you and the family with their evening meal—well, it will be there and all the good food with it.

There will be a need for many workers and volunteers are necessary so don't wait to be asked to help—come forward and offer your assistance, also your donations for Mr. Larose's country store, Mrs. Blaize's cake table sponsored by the good ladies of St. Margaret's Daughters; Mrs. Martin's candy tables; Mrs. Monti's ice cream table; the bingo and various games which require prizes.

Also when you are asked for your cash donation beforehand with which supplies must be bought for these many booths, receive the workers well because they are doing a good task.

Many donations from our Victory gardens and our canning shelves will help stock the country store, and handmade gifts and novelties for bingo and the fish pond and grab bag are very necessary so in this day of plenty, bring forth your donations as soon as possible to Father Wm. Clark, or persons in charge of the booths.

An error was made in the amount of the War Bond to be awarded, the amount being \$5.00 instead of \$50.00 as mentioned last week.

Fred E. Fayard, Jr., at Selmen Field, La.

Aviation Cadet, Fred E. Fayard, Jr., son of Mrs. and Mrs. Fred E. Fayard, Sr., of 232 Sycamore Street, Bay St. Louis, Miss., has entered the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School (Bombardier-Navigator) at Selmen Field, Monroe, La. Cadet Fayard attended St. Stanislaus.

FATHER JOHN GASPER, S. V. D., TRANSFERRED

Father John Gasper, Rector of St. Augustine Seminary for the past six years has been transferred to Meridian, where he is to work in Parish Work.

Father Gasper has many friends here who wish him well in his new field and who will miss his work in this parish.

IN PACIFIC



MILTON LOUIS LIZANA

Milton Louis Lizana, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Lizana of Fenton, has been in the United States Navy for over two years and is somewhere in the Pacific.

IN SOUTH PACIFIC



PFC. CLINTON LUTHER

PFC. Clinton Luther, son of Mrs. Lillie B. Lafontaine of Lakeshore, joined the United States Army on December 5, 1941. This boy is presently in the South Pacific. He will not be eighteen years of age until December 13th of this year. He is a grandson of Mr. Hugh R. Barr of Ansley.

SOUTHERN FARM MARKET SUMMARY

The spotlight is still on Irish potatoes moving in heavy volume from North Carolina and Virginia. About 2,000 cars have been purchased in North Carolina under the WPA support program, and there is some movement direct to the armed forces, according to the Food Distribution Administration. Forwardings of other fruits and vegetables from the Southern States were relatively light during the past week, although local areas are well supplied with home grown commodities. The small peach and watermelon crops are bringing unusually good prices. Liberal supplies of Georgia cantaloupes moving by trucks sold lower than in recent weeks. The potentially heavy sweet potato crop has begun to move from Florida and Alabama.

Hardly enough cattle were offered in the southeastern area to test values, but slaughter prices were nominally steady. Stockers and feeders met increased competition and regained recent 25-50c losses to reach a top of \$15.00 on well-bred calves. Markets in Tennessee and Kentucky were stationary on light slaughter arrivals; replacement trade was dull and weak at some points. Hog prices suffered another sharp drop as receipts again expanded. Top closed: in the southeastern area \$14. Nashville, \$13.60, Richmond \$13.40, North Carolina and Virginia cash buying stations \$13.25-\$13.45. The War Meat Board repeated its strong appeal to producers to reduce marketings, pointing out that their cooperation in holding back hogs last week resulted in immediate strengthening of prices. Lambs held steady, although market receipts continued rather large. The closing top at Nashville was \$14.50, Virginia auctions \$15.20.

Southern egg markets failed to reflect the unsettled condition reported at eastern consuming centers following OPA action establishing wholesale ceiling prices effective July 12 and forbidding retailers to sell "assorted eggs" after July 14. Dealers in the principal markets in states along the South Atlantic seaboard continued to pay around 38-42c a dozen for the light receipts of white grade. A quality. Live poultry markets in the South remained at ceiling levels on most classes. Young stock is still not being offered freely despite the feed shortage, but some centers report ample offerings of hens.

Spot cotton prices declined while futures moved slightly upward. New York October closed on July 10 at 20.03c. This year's estimated cotton acreage of nearly 22 million acres is the smallest in more than 40 years. Georgia and Florida tobacco growers are getting their crops ready to sell, markets will open July 27.



MILLIONS OF SURGICAL DRESSINGS FOR OUR ARMED FORCES

With the battles in the Pacific growing daily, and the invasion of Europe already begun with rapid advances on the great Isle of Sicily, and the expected increase in the number of wounded, millions of surgical dressings are needed for our armed forces. In fact half a million an hour is the staggering quota for the Army alone. Hence volunteer workers are always necessary at the Surgical Dressing Room in the Masonic Temple Building where the Hancock Chapter is endeavoring at all times to do its part in this phase of Red Cross work.

The International Red Cross Committee in Geneva, Switzerland, is the world's clearing house for information about prisoners of war, exchange lists of names and reports on the conditions in which prisoners live. Its delegates have been appointed in most of the warring nations and periodically inspect prison camps check their receipt of parcels, talk privately with them and recommend improvements where possible. The Executive Secretary of your local chapter will give you any information in reference to the sending of parcels to a prisoner of war.

The Hancock County chapter of the American Red Cross is deeply appreciative of the donation of \$26.04 from the Aaron Academy community, and especially do they thank the two ladies, Mrs. H. J. Frierson and Mrs. Louis Thigpen who volunteered to collect this amount. The money is for the robes for the convalescent soldiers at the Gulfport Field.

The special volunteer service unit of the local Red Cross has sewing to be done for civilian needs—dresses, scrubs for the local hospital and baby dresses and baby undershirts. Workers are needed.

Mesdames Leo Seal, Louis Maumus and C. L. Baker continue the all-day home service institute for Red Cross chapters which was conducted in Gulfport in Hotel Markham by Mrs. Constance Kimmerling, home service field representative for Mississippi. Other chapters than Hancock county represented were Harrison and Jackson counties. Also present were field directors of Army and Naval Camps including Jack Dale Gulfport Naval Advance Depot; James Welch, representing the field director of Gulfport Field and L. W. Link, Keesler Field, Miss. Mary Alice Willis, Red Cross Field representative also attended. The day was devoted to the Red Cross home service programs and its many phases.

Mrs. Stella Gex announces that the Logtown surgical dressing center has turned in 1800 dressings and Kiln has turned in 1500. This is a fine piece of work done by these two newly-organized centers and the ladies deserve much praise for the work they are doing.

WAVELAND CHURCH FAIR SAT. AND SUNDAY, JULY 31, AUGUST 1ST.

The annual Waveland Church Fair for St. Claire's Catholic Church will be held on Saturday and Sunday, July 31st and August 1st on the grounds of the church.

There will be the usual booths, with plenty of good things to eat—fun for the old and young—so don't forget the dates—July 31st and August 1.

Mrs. E. C. Carrere is in charge of the Fair.

Red Cross Water-Safety Swimming Classes Progressing

The Red Cross Water Safety Swimming classes are progressing nicely with Miss Lucy Weston, Senior Life Saver, instructor and Misses Katharine and Patsy Kehoe, Junior Savers as assistant instructors. There are twenty-four children enrolled as beginners and eleven in intermediate swimming. The time of the class has been changed from 10 A. M. to 3:30 P. M. for beginners and 4:15 P. M. for intermediate on Tuesday and Thursday, of each week, at Kehoe's platform 628 N. Beach.

Letters From The Boys In Service

From Cpl. Leo Thigpen Jr., somewhere in the South Pacific:

Dear Sirs:

I wish to thank you for your kindness in sending your great little paper to me. It seems to bring home all those thousands of miles to me, and lets me know just what has been going on at home. You are doing a great service and I'm sure if everyone does as much the Axis won't stand a chance.

My last few papers have been late due to change of address. New address is enclosed.

I'm still over there and send all the best to you and all at home. Thanks again. I remain Yours sincerely, Cpl. Leo Thigpen, Jr.

From Pvt. Julian R. Favre, somewhere in Alaska:

Dear Red:

I've been wanting to write and thank you for a long time for the Sea Coast Echo, which I have received regularly since I've been in the Air Force. Please change my address to the above. The newspaper comes through here forwarded from my last post in the States, and I have received several copies up here.

This is a great country and I am beginning to like it here in the "Land of the midnight sun." I've experienced some real cold weather, but for a Southern boy, I think I am doing alright. Up here we have two seasons: Winter and July. There is also plenty of gold here, if you can find it.

This is a great place for winter sports. We have had several ski parties. Hunting should be fairly good here. I've seen ptarmigan, willow grouse, snow shoe rabbits and squirrels. There's Alaskan brown bear and moose here. It is not uncommon to see freight being moved by dogsled, a novel sight. Again, thanks for the Echo. With best regards, I am Sincerely, Julian.

From T/S Roy Thigpen, Fort Ord, California:

Dear Mr. Favre:

I want to thank you and your staff for the kind service that you are rendering to all the home boys that are in the armed forces of the U. S. A. and for the prompt service we get in receiving the Echo. I have

been getting the paper right along and I surely enjoy reading the news from home.

My address has changed and I will appreciate your sending the paper to me here.

Thanks a million.

Yours truly, T/S Roy Thigpen.

From Pvt. Howell Russ, Fort McClellan, Ala.:

Dear Mr. Favre:

I surely would appreciate it if you would send me the Echo, because I do enjoy hearing from home. I know that there are many boys in our vicinity who are receiving the paper, and they are all glad to get it.

I entered the Service on Sept. 3, 1942 and continued my education until I was called out on April 6, 1943. Now that I am in, I am going to make the best of it, and see that my job is carried through. You are doing your job by sending us your paper, and I know that every boy will thank you for this service. Your friend, Howell Russ.

From Pvt. Willie E. (Bill) Lee, Ephrati, Washington:

Dear Sir:

I am very glad to say that I am leaving the hospital tomorrow (Friday 9th), after having stayed here for 28 days. Even though it is a wonderful hospital and a swell place to be when you are sick, still I will be glad to get out. For quite some time I have been having trouble with my stomach, and I finally had to give up, but now I think and hope that I will be O. K. again.

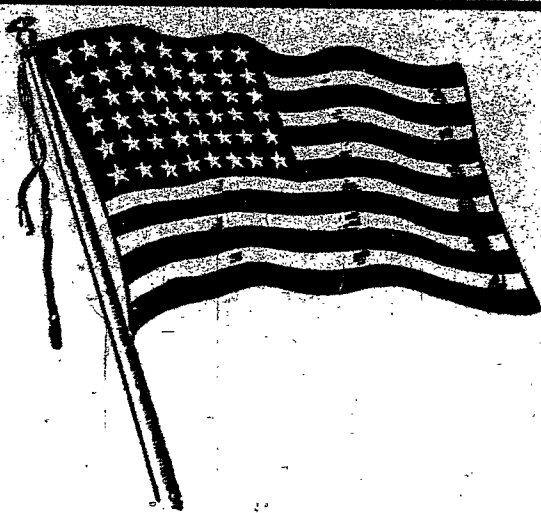
I want to again thank you for the paper. It helps out so much in this army life. It is just a long, long letter from home, which we boys all love to get. I am able to locate and keep up with lots of my friends and buddies by getting your paper; otherwise I would never know where they are.

Sincerely, Pvt. Willie E. (Bill) Lee.

From Cpl. Wesley Bourgeois, somewhere in New Guinea:

Dear Mr. Favre:

It wasn't until the Echo failed to reach me each week that I realized how much I appreciate receiving it. My A. P. O. has been changed



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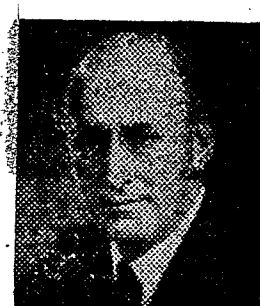
Washington, D. C.—How important is the average worker's war bond purchases out of his pay every payday in the grand strategy of the Allied High Command? Does the extent of his or her War Bond allotment have a part in determining when, where and the strength of our military blows?

Any worker listening in on a recent conversation between General George C. Marshall, President Roosevelt's Chief of Staff, and Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., learned the answers to these questions.

Said General Marshall: "Mr. Secretary, I want you to answer a question for me and to answer it with complete frankness. Can we military leaders plan to fight this war in an orderly way—in the surest and most effective manner—or must we take extraordinary risks for fear the money will not hold out?"

Replied Secretary Morgenthau: "General, the American public will take care of that. What they have done in the Second War Loan drive—the money they have produced and the spirit they have shown—is proof enough for me that they will not let our fighters suffer from lack of support until we achieve complete victory, no matter how long that may be nor how much it may cost."

Up your War Bond allotment out of your wages today. Figure it out for yourself how much above 10 per cent it should be.



Henry Morgenthau, Jr.
U. S. Treasury Department



A Good Stokan for All

Soldiers at the Jackson Air Base, Jackson, Mississippi, are greeted by this sign as they enter the mess hall: "We, as good soldiers, pledge not to waste food, and to take only the amount we can eat (returning for seconds). Wasting food does not help the cause for which we are fighting. Remember your buddy at the front. He may be hungry too."

"Buck" Conn, Jr., Resigns

The many friends of W. D. Conn, Jr., throughout the State, will regret to learn that he has resigned as Assistant Attorney General, and accepted a position with the Mississippi Petroleum Industries Committee. "Buck," as he is familiarly known, has been connected with the Attorney General's Department for nearly twelve years. Attorney General Greek L. Rice has not named his successor as yet.

Biennial Reports Coming In

The first biennial report to be filed with Walker Wood, Secretary of State, was from the State Library, headed by Mrs. Julia Starnes, State Librarian, and the second was from the State Library Commission, directed by Miss Pearl Sneed. From now on these reports will be coming in steadily to the department of Secretary of State will be printed, and held in readiness for transmission to the legislature when it convenes in January, 1944.

State Democratic Executive Committee Met

The State Democratic Executive Committee met in Jackson, July 5th and declared the following state of affairs as nominees of the party without opposition: Greek L. Rice, Attorney General; S. S. Williams, III, Commissioner of Insurance; Guy McCullen, State Land Commissioner; Tom Q. Ellis, Clerk of the Supreme Court; Omer J. Bullen, Public Service Commissioner; Third District. Bert Barnett was declared the nominee for Auditor of Public Accounts. The committee also

prepared the official sample ballot, had same printed, and mailed out to the circuit clerks. The parties who have authority to have ballots printed are requested by the committee to apply at the Circuit Clerk's office for the sample ballot.

Making Rounds of Departments, Etc.

W. N. McGee, Secretary of the State Budget Commission, and W. R. Hough, Statistician of the State Tax Commission, are quite busy visiting the various State departments, institutions, boards and commission, gathering statistics for the next biennial. After this data has all been gathered, same will be compiled, and a budget prepared for submission to the next session of the Legislature in January, 1944.

Maternity Care Provided

According to Dr. Felix J. Underwood, Director, State Board of Health, applications for maternity care of soldiers' wives in Mississippi, have passed the one thousand mark, and are steadily increasing. The funds for this purpose are provided by the United States Government, and the program also includes the care of sick infants of soldiers under one year of age.

Indexing Tax-Forfeited Lands

State Land Commissioner Guy McCullen reports that he is progressing with the sectional tax of all tax-forfeited property by counties. The Chancery Clerk of each county is furnished a list as soon as completed. In this way the people of each county can go to the Chancery Clerk's office and get a list of state lands owned by that county without writing or coming to Jackson.

Distribution of Books

Selecting new books, cataloging, and preparing them for circulation, compiling annual statistical reports, visiting county libraries throughout the state, sending out books and pamphlets in answer to special requests show much activity on the part of the State Library Commission, headed by Miss Pearl Sneed. Request for books, states Miss Sneed range from new books on post-war matters to books to amuse and entertain.

Accepts Government Appointment

Frank J. Welch, head of the Department of Agricultural Economics, Mississippi Experiment Station, State College, has accepted his appointment as a public representative on the National War Labor Board in Mississippi. In this state, Mr. Welch, with four other public members to be named, will serve occasionally as members of tripartite panels, representing labor, industry and the public, as arbitrators

IN ARMY



PVT. JOSEPH FAVRE

Pvt. Joseph Favre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Favre of the Edwardsville community, is in the United States Army. He is married to the former Miss Alberta Schultz of Bay St. Louis.

Calendar of Events

First Monday—
King's Daughters Circle, Hospital, 10 a. m.
Pere Le Duc Council Knights of Columbus, K. C. Hall, 8:15 p. m.

First Tuesday—
Episcopal Guild—Episcopal Parish House, 10 a. m.

First Tuesday—
S. J. A. Mothers' Club, Convent, 3:30 P. M.

Red Cross Executive Committee—
First Wednesday at 10 A. M. at Courthouse.

Every First Tuesday—
Waveland Kings Daughters Circle.

First Wednesday—
St. Margaret's Daughters, Home of Mrs. G. Y. Blaize, 3 p. m.
Boy Scouts, K. C. Hall, 8 p. m.
Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.
Woman's Missionary Union, Baptist Church, 3 p. m.

First Thursday—
Woman's Benevolent Association, Girl Scout House, 8 p. m.

First Friday—
Scout Executive Supper—Meeting, Hotel Reed, 6:30 p. m.

First Sunday—Society of Immaculate Conception, 2 p. m.

Second Tuesday—
Central School P.-T. A., School Building, 8 p. m.

W. O. W. Cedar Grove Camp, 507, W. O. W. Hall, 7:30 p. m.
Masonic Lodge, F. & A. M.—Masonic Temple, 8 p. m.

Second Wednesday—
Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.

Second Thursday—
Bay-Waveland Garden Club, 3 p. m.
Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, 5:30 P. M.

Third Monday—
Pere Le Duc Council, Knights of Columbus, K. C. Hall, 8:15 p. m.

Third Tuesday—
Woman's Society of Christian Service, 3 p. m.
United Spanish War Veterans, City Hall, 8 p. m.

Third Wednesday—
Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.
Womans Missionary Union, Baptist Church, 3 p. m.

Fourth Tuesday—
Library Board at Parish House, 9 a. m.
Followed by Book Review, 10 a. m.

Fourth Wednesday—Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.

Fourth Thursday—
Pine Grove Circle, No. 167, W. O. W. Hall.

Ninety-six cents out of every dollar goes for War expenditures. The other four cents goes for Government expenses "as for freedom's sake usual."

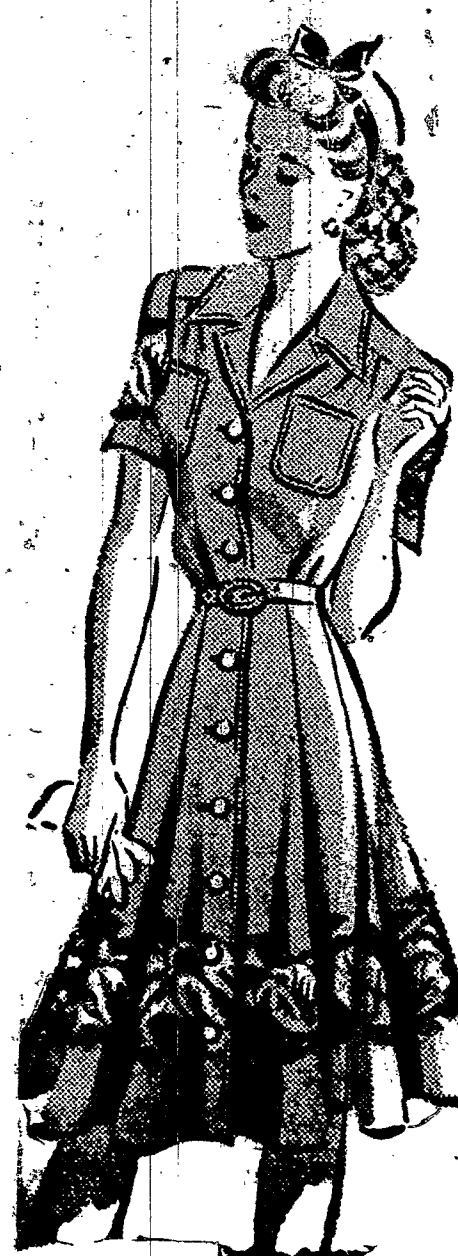
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State Bar Association
President Calls Meeting

A call has been issued by Ross Barnett, president of the Mississippi Bar Association, for all members of the Supreme Court and all Circuit and county judges to meet in the Senate Chamber in the State Capitol on July 17th for the purpose of studying matters pertaining to the legal profession in the state and to make such recommendations as the conference may decide upon.

Raking Around—
Deaths from Typhoid fever in the state has dropped 93 per cent during the past twenty years. The pay roll of the Ingalls Shipyards, at Pascagoula, was more than \$20,000,000 last year. A new newspaper, The Meridian News-Tabloid, has been launched at Meridian, W. B. Grauel, publisher. The Chronicle-Star and Moss Point Advertiser issued a handsome 4th of July edition. Congratulations to the North Mississippi Herald on reaching its 55th birthday. The four banks in Jackson had on deposit last week approximately 73 million dollars—an all-time record. The State Democratic Executive Committee will meet on August 11th to canvass the returns of the first primary. In 1942 there were only 84 deaths in Mississippi from malaria.

Mid Summer



CLEARANCE Sale

LADIES DRESSES

Sizes 9 to 52
Cool Dotted Swiss
\$2.19

All White Rayons
\$5.95

Assorted Colors and Materials
\$3.95

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\$1.95 & up

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Sizes 14 to 20
\$1.79

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\$1.19 to \$2.19

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\$1.19 - \$2.19 - \$1.19

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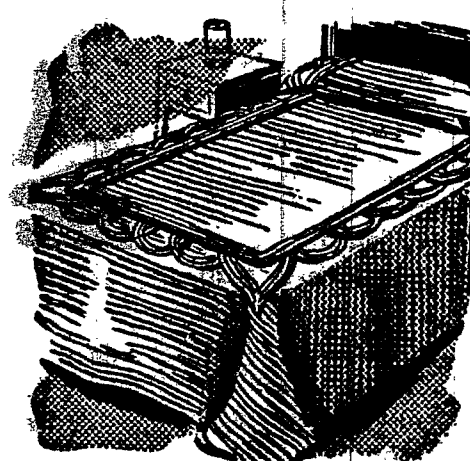
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Full Line of Ribbons—Velvet Moire, — Beautiful Colors—All shades and prices.

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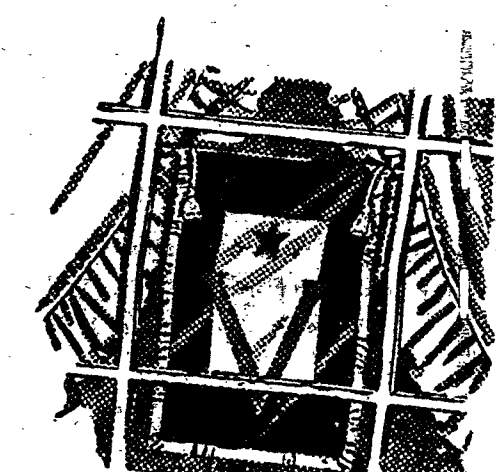
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39c each

OLD FASHIONED LANTERNS

\$1.29 each

"KUTMASTER" BUTCHER KNIVES .35c to 69c

BOTTLE CAPS

5c

65c to \$3.25

KERN'S 5c & 10c STORE

Estimable Lady To Celebrate Eighty-Second Birthday

Physically and mentally alert Mrs. George Henry Michel does not show her eighty-two years which she will attain on July 21 and accepts life as it is today with a calm outlook and with a smile for her friends as she continues to walk for the pleasure of walking though only recently recovered from a hip injury.

Born during the Civil War in South Louisiana she traces her ancestry to France her father August Murr a native of Paris and her mother Delphine Guth Alsace-Lorraine. Mrs. Michel was born shortly after her father was killed as he was ascending a hill to place the Stars

and Stripes at the top in accordance with orders from Governor Mouton of Louisiana.

Mrs. Michel speaks the English language beautifully with just enough of the mother tongue accent to give it charm. She has lived the greater part of her life in New Orleans where following the death of her mother she taught music. She has been a summer resident of the coast for many years and at one time owned two homes here. The Waveland home now owned by Jack Riley of New Orleans is where she spent her summers when the children were small.

This gentle old lady has lived through two wars and is now witnessing this hot war but is calm and maintains her deep faith in God and in her church and knows no hate, and especially to attend church services.

of horses and buggies driving over shell roads, water drawn from wells by means of buckets and ropes, or caught in a cistern. She remembers when the task of cleaning lamp chimneys was that of the daughter of the home of the servant; and when men in wagons cried on the streets stove wood cut to lengths or "nice fat pine knots for your fire place." But she takes the modern improvements as progress and accepts them as part of the changes that come with the march of time.

The mother of four children and having eight grand children and four great grand children she keeps in touch with youth and life as it is today. She spends a part of each year in Bay St. Louis where she has many friends and where she loves to be and especially to attend church services.

One of our every two families have at least two workers. Figure it out yourself how much beyond 10 percent of your family income you can put into War Bonds every payday.

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Be on hand when the postman is due! Be sure you endorse checks correctly! Bring them here for safe, sure handling!



Mississippi Appointed To Federal Social Security Board

Washington, D. C., July 5.—Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward of Mississippi, Member of the Social Security Board since December, 1938, was reappointed by President Roosevelt on Monday, June 28th for a six year term and was confirmed by the United States Senate today. This appointment will be of particular interest to women throughout the country for Mrs. Woodward has been

outstanding in nation-wide programs since 1933. Before coming to Washington, she had achieved success as an executive and as a legislator, and her experience for the past ten years as an administrator in Federal programs qualifies her to make a valuable contribution to the important Social Security program.

Put every dollar above the necessities of life into War Bonds. Payroll Savings is the best means of doing your part in helping your sons and friends on the fighting fronts. Figure it out yourself.

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STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF MERCHANTS BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Of Bay St. Louis, in the State of Mississippi at the close of business on June 30, 1943.

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts (Including \$1731.32 overdrafts)	\$428,612.47
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	60,000.00
Obligations of States and Political subdivisions	92,859.05
Cash, balances with other banks including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	259,733.47
Bank premises owned \$9883.03, furniture and fixtures \$5681.68	15,544.71
Real estate owned other than bank premises	8,822.54
TOTAL ASSETS	\$865,572.24

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	397,911.64
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	286,873.05
Deposits of States and Political subdivisions	86,781.07
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$771,565.76
Other liabilities	5,213.34
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$776,779.10

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	35,000.00
Surplus	40,000.00
Undivided profits	13,793.14
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	88,793.14

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$865,572.24
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This bank's capital consists of \$None of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$None, total returnable value \$None; second preferred stock with total par value of \$None, total returnable value \$None; and common stock with total par value of \$35,000.00.

MEMORANDA
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)

TOTAL	76,500.00
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TOTAL	76,500.00
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Secured and preferred liabilities:
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law

TOTAL	86,781.07
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Subordinated Obligations:
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was

TOTAL	34,213.27
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(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to

TOTAL	359,733.47
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I, Joe B. Burrow, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct-Attest:
EMILIO CUE
W. J. GEX, JR.
ETHEL H. GEX
Directors.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Hancock.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1943, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
(SEAL)
MARIELOUISE JUDEN, Notary Public.
My commission expires 4/22/46.

REAP THE WILD WIND
AT A. & G. THEATRE
SUNDAY-MON.-TUES.

Climax DeMille's 30-Year Career

Product of a great story, a great cast and a great producer, Cecil B. DeMille's "Reap the Wild Wind," spectacular Paramount sea saga in Technicolor, arrives at the A. & G. Theatre Sunday and Monday.

"Reap the Wild Wind" tells its gusty story against a broad and gaudy background. It's all the same to DeMille whether he's directing high jinks in an 1840 Charleston saloon or a climatic fathoms deep battle between Millard, Wayne and a 60-foot giant squid. He leads every scene with terrific qualities.

Squid Is Terrific
Incidentally, those who have seen the famous underwater fight sequences pronounce them the most unusual ever seen in a motion picture. DeMille himself, of donned diver's garb and descended into a million-gallon tank to direct the players. Spectacular scenes of storms and wrecks on the sharp and jagged shoals of Key West, thrilling fist fights, high adventure and romance fill this big production.

Thelma Strabel Story
"Reap the Wild Wind" was made from a Saturday Evening Post story by Thelma Strabel, adapted for the screen by Alan LeMay, Charles Bennett and Jesse Lacky, Jr. DeMille describes his treatment of the Strabel yarn as a "free adaptation" and that, judging by the enthusiastic reception given the film by movie audiences, whenever it has been shown, shouldn't worry anyone. When the Old Master tampers with a fire it's only to make it burn the brighter.

Always in the foreground is Loxi Claiborne played by Paulette Goddard, wild, tempestuous, loved by two men equally adept at wielding a fan in a drawing room flirtation or a marlin spike aboard one of her ships.

RESIDENT OF KILN DIES SUDDENLY

William M. Glass, 50 year old resident of Kiln, Miss., died suddenly at his home on Friday morning from a heart attack. Mr. Glass was in Bay St. Louis late Thursday afternoon and though he complained of a pain in his head he was in good spirits.

Mr. Glass was a native of Florida but had made his home in Kiln for the past 25 years. He owned and operated a grocery there.

He is survived by his wife the former Miss Zelma Cameron of Kiln, two sons Norman Glass, U. S. Army and Laurence Glass, U. S. Army, two young daughters Lenell and Billy Faye Glass.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from his late residence with the rites of the Catholic Church, the Rev. Father Denis officiating. Interment was in Kiln cemetery.

Mr. Glass was one of the outstanding citizens of his community and had many friends there which was attested by the great number of beautiful floral offerings. His funeral was one of the largest held in this county.

The Echo extends sympathy to the family in the loss of husband and father.

Pallbearers were Jim Peterson, H. J. Ladner, Eugene Favre, Harold Favre, Edward Mameron and A. B. Duboisson.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Abby Smith of Pascagoula underwent an operation for Appendicitis at the Kings Daughters Hospital last week. She is doing nicely and will soon be able to leave the hospital. Mrs. Smith is the sister-in-law of Mrs. Horace Farr of this city.

Miss Frances Garcia of Wayland is a patient in the Kings Daughters Hospital having undergone an operation for appendicitis on Saturday night. She is doing nicely it is reported.

Daniel North who is a patient at the Kings Daughters Hospital a result of burns is improving rapidly. Daniel is said to be a good patient and though he has suffered he is very patient and is gaining each day.

Colored Registrants Ordered To Report for Induction

The following colored men have been ordered to report for induction on July 19, 1943 at 8 a. m. at the Courthouse, Bay St. Louis, Miss.:
Freddie Mosley, Jr., Ernest Lesley Benoit, Aronovitz Odgen Lallande, A. C. Thurmon, Simuel Marshall Richards, Johnny Moore, Oris Alexander Harris, Ridley Mathew Curry, Jimmy Hawkins, Louis Francis Seward, William Henry Hemphill, Johnnie Thomas Keys, Anthony James Gilbert, Lawrence Sanders, Lawrence Aaron Acker.

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When MIKE CONNER becomes governor in January, 1944, he will do everything in his power, in cooperation with the Federal Government, to increase the assistance to the old people, those afflicted with incurable diseases, the blind and others to a decent level. No honest man can do or will promise to do more! MIKE CONNER says: "Thirty dollars per month is not too much!"

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Vessel Launched At Delta Plant Saturday

On Saturday, July 10, at the industrial canal plant of the Delta Shipbuilding Co., Inc., there was launched the S. S. George W. Kendall christened for one of the founders of the Picaune a predecessor of the Times-Picayune.

Kendall with Francis Asbury Lumisden founded the Picaune in 1837. He was noted as a war correspondent having inaugurated the serving of news from the front to the public during the Mexican War. His dispatches sent by pony carrier, made the paper nationally famous.

Sponsor of the vessel was Miss Eleanor Nicholson, daughter of Yorke P. Nicholson, first vice president of The Times-Picayune and New Orleans States and Mrs. Nicholson and granddaughter of Mrs. Eliza Jane Nicholson owner and publisher of The Picaune for many years. She is the niece of Leonard Nicholson.

Thirty-two cadet midshipmen from the War Shipping Administration's Cadet Training school at Pass Christian with their officers, Lieutenant (j. g.) Michael Travilio, U. S. M. S., and Lieutenant (j. g.) Alfred Fiore, U. S. N. R. formed a guard of honor for the sponsors, her guests and officials of the christening program.

There were several guests in the sponsor's party and on the platform were several officials of the Delta Company among whom were Mr. and Mrs. George W. Kendall, Mr. Kendall being a distant relative of the ship's namesake.

A. & G. Theatre

AMES & GASPARD, Props.
G. AMES, Mgr.

Thursday-Friday, July 15-16

ANNABELLA & JOHN SUTTON

in

"TONIGHT WE RAID CALAIS"

News and Cartoon

Saturday 17

CHESTER MORRIS & JEAN PARKER in

"HIGH EXPLOSIVES"

Daredevils of the West No. 5 and Short Subjects

Sunday-Monday-Tuesday, 18-19-20

RAY MILLARD, PAULETTE GODDARD, JOHN WAYNE & SUSAN HAYWARD in

"REAP THE WILD WIND"

(In Technicolor)

News and Cartoon

Wednesday 21

GEORGE SANDERS & GAIL PATRICK in

"QUIET PLEASE MURDER"

Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday 22-23

CONSTANCE WORTH, JINX FALKENBURG & TOM NEAL in

"SHE HAS WHAT IT TAKES"

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF LOUIS THIELE RANSON

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Louis Thiele Ranson deceased was granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi on the 2nd day of July, 1943, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to present and have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 9th day of July 1943.
MARY JACKSON RANSON
Executrix of the Estate of Louis Thiele Ranson.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Victor E. Lizana, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on July 3rd, 1943, and therefore Notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 9th day of July, A. D. 1943.
MRS. DELTA D. LIZANA,
Administratrix of the Estate of Victor E. Lizana, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Chester S. Swanner, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi on the 11th day of June, 1943 and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

MRS. FLORENCE CAHILL SWANNER
Administratrix of the Estate of Chester S. Swanner, Dec'd.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 4714

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Cora Roig Lapsley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 7th day of June, 1943, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This the 14th day of June, 1943.
LEO W. SEAL
Administrator

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

REV. EUAL SAMPLES

Church School 10 A. M.
Morning Worship 11 A. M.
Evening-Worship 8:00 P. M.
Youth Fellowship 6:00 P. M.
Prayer service on Wednesdays at 8:00 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. W. S. ALLEN, Pastor.

Preaching Services Every First and Third Sundays—
11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.
Sunday School Every Sunday 10:00 A. M.

Baptist Training Union Every Sunday Evening, 6:30 P. M.

Woman's Missionary Union, every Wednesday afternoon, 3:30 P. M.

Mid-Week Prayer Service every Wednesday evening, 7:30 P. M.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

SERVICES

Rev. Warwick Aiken, Rector.

Sundays—

Morning Service with Sermon, 9:30 o'clock.

Church School, 9:30, in Parish House

Holy Communion—

1st Sunday in month at 9:30.

2nd Sunday in month at 8:00.

Ladies Guild—2nd Wednesday, at 1 P. M., followed by Bible Class, Mrs. Warwick Aiken, Leader.

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Sunday-Monday

ROBERT TAYLOR,

BRIAN DONLEVY

WALTER BRENNAN.

CHARLES LAUGHTON in

"STAND BY FOR ACTION"

Latest News-Short Subjects

Tuesday

RADIO'S "MAD RUSSIAN" in

"LET'S HAVE FUN"

with MARGARET LINDSAY.

JOHN BEAL

Also Chapter No. 12

"PERILS OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED"

News-Also Short Subjects

Wednesday-Thursday

"FOR ME AND MY GAL"

with JUDY GARLAND.

GEORGE MURPHY

Selected Shorts-News

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Saturday and Sunday

Week Days - 7 P. M.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce the following Candidates for the office named, subject to the action of the Democratic Votes at the August 1943 primaries:

For Governor—
DENNIS MURPHREE

For Lieutenant-Governor—
JOHN LUMPKIN

For Secretary of State—
WALKER WOOD

For Highway Commissioner
SOUTHERN DISTRICT

HIRAM J. PATTERSON
D. FORREST SIMMONS

For District Attorney—
R. C. (CLIFF) COWAN

LUTHER MAPLES

For State Senator—
H. K. ROUSE

For Representative—
OTHO RESTER

For Clerk of Courts—
A. G. (RED) FAVRE

For Sheriff and Tax
Collector—

JOHN A. EGLOFF
BURTON D. (FIP) JOHNSON

FRANCIS J. BOPP
CLAUD MONTI

For Tax Assessor—
RANDOLPH BOURGEOIS

For Superintendent of
Education

CLARENCE M. LADNER
NOLAN E. TACONI

SAM L. FAVRE, JR.
KENNETH G. MCCARTY

For Supervisor, Beat 1
CHAS. B. MURPHY

For Supervisor-Beat 2
JOHN B. WHEAT

For Supervisor Beat 4
LANDER H. NECAISE

For Supervisor Beat 5—
HORACE L. KERGOSIEN

R. TERRELL PERKINS
ED ORTIE

For Justice of the Peace
Beat 5

HENRY T. FAYARD
LEON B. CAPDEPON

For Constable-Beat 5
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Flat Top News

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wheat and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Wheat of New Orleans spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Maude Wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Penton of Pascagoula spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Rutherford and daughter visited Mr. Edgar Davis and daughter at Purvis, Miss., Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Edgar Davis, who is a patient in the Methodist Hospital in Hattiesburg.

Pvt. Johnnie Miller from Mexico, is spending his furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Williamson of Montgomery, Ala., are visiting Mrs. Williamson's mother, Mrs. Maude Wheat. Mr. Williamson returned home but Mrs. Williamson remained for a longer stay.

Mr. N. T. Warren, Mr. Tom Martin, Mr. Charlie Warren and Charles Warren were business visitors in McComb, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis from New Orleans spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wheat.

Miss Margaret Wheat spent last week in New Orleans.

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HANCOCK COUNTY LOCAL NEWS EVERY

SATURDAY MORNING AT 11:30

Rev. W. S. Allen each Saturday morning at 9:30

Leetown News

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer of Pascagoula spent Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thigpen of Picayune spent Sunday with Mrs. Bud Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Necaise spent Sunday in Picayune with Mr. Necaise's parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Necaise.

Mrs. Monroe Rester and little son Jimmie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rester this week. Little Jimmie remaining over to spend a while with his grandparents.

Mr. Otho Rester and Ben Lee made a business trip to Bay St. Louis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Lee of Picayune spent Sunday at their farm in Leetown.

Mrs. Otho Rester was called home last week on account of the serious illness and death of her father Mr. Jacob Meychee of Henleyfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ladner of New Orleans spent the 4th with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lee.

Mr. Otho Rester and children attended the funeral of Mrs. Rester's father last Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Moral Lee moved to Picayune last Tuesday where he will be close to his church at Roseland Park.

Miss Ouida Mae Rester visited Miss Julia Mae Lee last week.

Mr. Harvey Lazenby visited relatives here last week end.

Yvonne and Stenley Lee underwent a tonsillitis operation and are doing nicely.

A large crowd had dinner with Louis Lee's family Sunday.

J. V. Lee S. 2/C of USCG left Sunday for Vicksburg, Miss., where he is stationed.

Misses Joyce and Loyce Spiers of Baton Rouge, Louisiana are visiting relatives here.

Mr. L. M. Campbell of Vicksburg, Miss., visited John Campbell and family last week.

Mrs. J. B. Brelaud and Mrs. Casey Jones visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lee last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spiers visited Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee last week end.

Harold Lott of Lumberton, visited friends here last week end.

Kiln News

THE sudden death of Mr. William Glass, which occurred on Friday was a shock to the community. The funeral services were held on Sunday at five o'clock at Bayou Coco Cemetery, with Rev. A. C. Denis officiating. Friends and relatives extend to Mrs. W. M. Glass and family deep sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Merrill were very proud to have their son from Columbus, Ohio, to visit them for a week.

Mrs. F. Fuente who has been ill for quite a while is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bourgeois and two sons of Waveland and Mrs. Frank Carvin of Bay St. Louis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Castro over the week end.

Sgt. Jim Peterson was home on a three day leave.

Mrs. Louis Haas and sister visited Mrs. Jacob Haas on Sunday.

Mr. Buck Lott visited his mother and sister on Sunday.

Mrs. K. W. Gatewood visited Mrs. Celina Necaise and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haas for a few days.

Thursday marked the administration of the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Church of the Annunciation Kiln, Miss.

After the mass celebrated by the Rev. Father William Clark, assistant at Bay St. Louis, the most Rev. Bishop R. O. Gerow, Bishop of Natchez began the examination of the children. He was more than satisfied with the knowledge of the children and many parents were proud of their children. We are thankful to the Sisters who helped them: Sister Eustasia C. R. and Sister Raphael C. R. of the congregation of the Resurrection from Chicago.

The Reverend Bishop was assisted in the Confirmation to 31 children by the Very Reverend Canon A. C. Gneilch, pastor of Our Lady of the Gulf Church, Bay St. Louis, the Rev. Joseph Eckert, S. V. D., Provincial of the Southern province of the Society of the Divine Word and the local pastor, Rev. A. C. Denis.

After the ceremony of the Infant Jesus at White Cypress, 12 miles from the Kiln, where the same Sisters go every day for the Catechism summer school. The mass was celebrated about 10:30 by the Rev. A. C. Denis who attends to that church and after mass Confirmation was administered to nine children.

Waveland News

Mr. C. B. Mollere purchased from Mr. Geo. O'Dwyer the spacious "Beauty Spot" formerly owned by Mr. Peter Hellwege, founder of the Hancock County Bank. The main dwelling has 15 rooms with Dormer windows and an old fashioned slate roof. The two story guest house in the rear has 9 rooms. The property has two artesian wells and natural spring water that the Indians used in years gone by. Massive oaks and magnolia trees covered with Spanish moss, palm trees of several varieties. Date and cherry trees may also be mentioned. A large fruit orchard of figs, pears, peach and plums, not omitting the pecan trees—also suppers and imported grape vines. Two beautiful lakes on the winding concrete and gravel road which Mrs. Cockman had built while she resided there over a period of eight years. This road leads to Railroad avenue and runs through the entire place. One of the lakes is used for fishing, and the other for wild ducks. These lakes are surrounded by dogwood and magnolia trees. To top this scenery off the blue and white wisteria vines encircle it.

The Molleres anticipate building a large pier replacing the summer houses that were near the water's edge when Waveland boasted of its beautiful shell road. Geo. Tate of Pass Christian has been engaged to landscape this beauty spot.

Visiting with relatives and friends while on a short furlough came Pvt. Paul Bourgeois son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bourgeois.

Pvt. Horace Ruhr was home from San Diego, California.

Anthony (Bobo) Bourgeois son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bourgeois left on Tuesday for Camp Shelby to enter the armed forces.

Mrs. Vital Bourgeois announces the marriage of her son Corp. Elliot M. (Red) Ladner who is at present stationed at Camp Walters, Texas, with the former Miss Catherine Rich of Mineral Wells, Texas. The wedding took place on July 1st. Congratulations to this young couple.

On Monday, July 12th little Vital Bourgeois, Jr., celebrated his 5th birthday anniversary. Many gifts were received. The birthday cake of white and pink and 5 candles befitted the occasion. This was a very happy event for the little fellow. With best wishes for many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. W. L. Pritchard and two charming little daughters Margaret Ann and Phyllis Ruth of Port Arthur, Texas, are visiting under the parental roof with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wanzelle.

Mrs. Hazel Lamer with brother, Mr. Buddy Dufour attended the christening of their new niece in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. August Walsdorf are now residing on Coleman avenue in the Geo. Engle's home.

The Marcus Walker home on Waveland Beach has been sold for a vast sum. This property is in the vicinity of the Catholic church. The sale was made by Mr. Van Horn of Pass Christian.

Another property was the Kline place on Coleman avenue, opposite the Waveland school to parties from New Orleans.

Mid-summer days in Waveland were never more full to overflowing with things that have to be done. These war times find everyone obligated to help in one way or another.

For the past few days the temperature has been ideal—with occasional rains—affording nice, cool evenings and nights for rest.

The Dan Chadwicks sold one of their cottages to Mr. Epelette, engineer of the Higgins Air Craft and a former resident of Bristol, Va.

Mr. Geo. Wanzelle is busily engaged renovating Mrs. Lott's Silers houses. One on the beach and the other on Nicholson avenue.

Catahoula News

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Seal and Annie Maud Necaise of Picayune were visitors in this community Sunday.

Miss Bertha Lee Bounds had as her guest Saturday night Mr. Karl Flemming.

Mrs. Randolph Seal visited her brother Mr. August Cuyes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Spiers and little son Terry visited Mrs. Spiers' mother Mrs. Magnolia Seal.

Mrs. Mathilda Moran of Kiln is visiting her brother Mr. Thomas Dosssett.

Miss Bertha Lee Bounds who is employed in the shirt factory spent the week end at home.

Miss Vivian Seal who has been visiting her aunt in Pascagoula returned home Wednesday.

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Logtown News

MISS Mary Catherine Bennett is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Osborne and daughters, Carolyn and Barbara in Mobile, Ala., for two weeks.

Mr. T. V. Holliman, Jr., of New Orleans spent the week end in Logtown with his father and sister, Miss Nettie Holliman, prior to leaving for induction into the Army at Camp Shelby on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Mitchell and four children have moved back to Pearlport from Fort Bayard, New Mexico. Mr. Mitchell is employed at Higgins and commutes.

Mrs. I. Bennett spent the week end in Bay St. Louis with her sisters the Misses Mae and Edwina Osborne.

Major and Mrs. Leonard H. Lyons and daughter, Hazel Jean, from Jackson Barracks spent Sunday as guests of Mrs. W. A. Whitfield and her daughter, Miss Rita Whitfield.

Mrs. Will Lawrence of Winter Park, Florida, is spending the week in Logtown with her sister Miss Ethel Otis. Mr. Lawrence is in New Orleans attending to business.

Aaron Academy

A LARGE crowd from Gainesville—Logtown and Aaron Academy enjoyed a party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Davis of Gainesville in honor of Grayson Miller and M. N. Mitchell who are home on furlough from the U. S. Navy, also for Claude Keller and other boys who have just been inducted into the Army. Many games were played and refreshments of delicious punch and cake were served.

A large crowd from this and surrounding communities enjoyed a fish fry given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frierson in honor of their nephew Clayton Frierson who has been inducted in the U. S. Army. Clayton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Frierson of Picayune.

A farewell party was given Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frierson honoring Elbert Frierson and Ira Lee Mitchell who will leave for the U. S. Army soon. Elbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Frierson and Ira Lee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Ard, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frierson, Mrs. Isaac Frierson and Mrs. Louis Thigpen were visitors to New Orleans on Friday.

Pvt. Harlan Frierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frierson is now spending his furlough at home. Harlan is stationed in Nashville, Tenn. Pvt. Horatio Frierson, Jr., spent the week end at home. He is stationed at Camp Shelby.

Mrs. Jack Bronson and little daughter Jackie spent the week end in New Orleans.

Mr. L. M. Campbell of Vicksburg has been visiting his daughter Mrs. Louis Thigpen. Mr. Campbell left Friday morning for Little Woods to spend a few days in summer camp with his son.

Mrs. Louise Amacher is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frierson. Mrs. Frierson became quite ill on Saturday night. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Alice Frierson who has been visiting her daughter in Hattiesburg returned home last Monday. Her grandson T. W. Cox returned to spend a few days.

Important Announcement

GOVERNMENT LIFTS RESTRICTIONS ON RE-ROOFING AND RE-SIDING WITH ASBESTOS SHINGLES

Special Ruling Is Made to

Meet Critical War Program

MANY home owners have been postponing re-roofing and repairs to their homes because of their fear that only temporary materials would be available. Many others have obtained the impression that to have such work done would be contrary to the interest of winning the war.

If your home needs re-roofing, if the sidewalks need painting or repair, a special W. P. B. ruling just issued removes the restrictions on the use of asbestos shingles for this purpose. There is no longer any reason for you to postpone having this work done.

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Protect your home for today and for the future. We will be glad to show you samples of the new styles and new textures of these colorful shingles.

Long asbestos spinning fibre is an essential material in many war products. In mining asbestos, for every ton of long asbestos fibre, many tons of shorter fibre must be produced. This shorter fibre must be utilized, and its principal use is in the manufacture of asbestos shingles and thereby insure an adequate supply of long asbestos fibre vitally needed for war.

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MAIN STREET

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Sellers News

Mr. and Mrs. Rosaire Necaise, of Necaise Crossing announced the engagement of their daughter Alicia to Mr. Fred Ladner of Dedeaux, the wedding to take place Saturday, July 17, 1943.

Miss Deloise Ladner was home on Sunday.

Mr. Jason Ladner, son of Mrs. Mose Kirkland, of White Cypress, left Tuesday for Camp Shelby.

Mr. Luke Saucier and Archie Saucier, of New Orleans visited their mother in Necaise Crossing on Sunday.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. Randolph Necaise, daughter of Mr. Purcell Shaw. Everyone wishes her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shaw visited Mrs. Florence Saucier Sunday and enjoyed a watermelon cutting.

The birthday party of Miss Ina Mae Ladner was enjoyed by her many friends. Refreshments of all kinds were served.



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Rocky Hill

PVT. Carl J. Moran is home on a furlough with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Xavier Necaise went to Bay St. Louis on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Herbert Necaise received word Tuesday from her brother Corporal Judson J. Necaise, who has been in the South West Pacific, on Somoa Island for seventeen months, has arrived back in the U. S. A. safe. He is now in Oakland, California, expecting to be home in about two or three weeks on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Oligé Necaise spent Saturday night with her mother Mrs. Doren Necaise.

Liston Necaise has been spending a vacation with his uncle, Leo Necaise of Pass Christian, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Necaise and family spent Sunday with her mother Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Necaise of Pass Christian, Miss.

Mr. Elmer Necaise and daughter Zelma went to Bay St. Louis Friday on business.

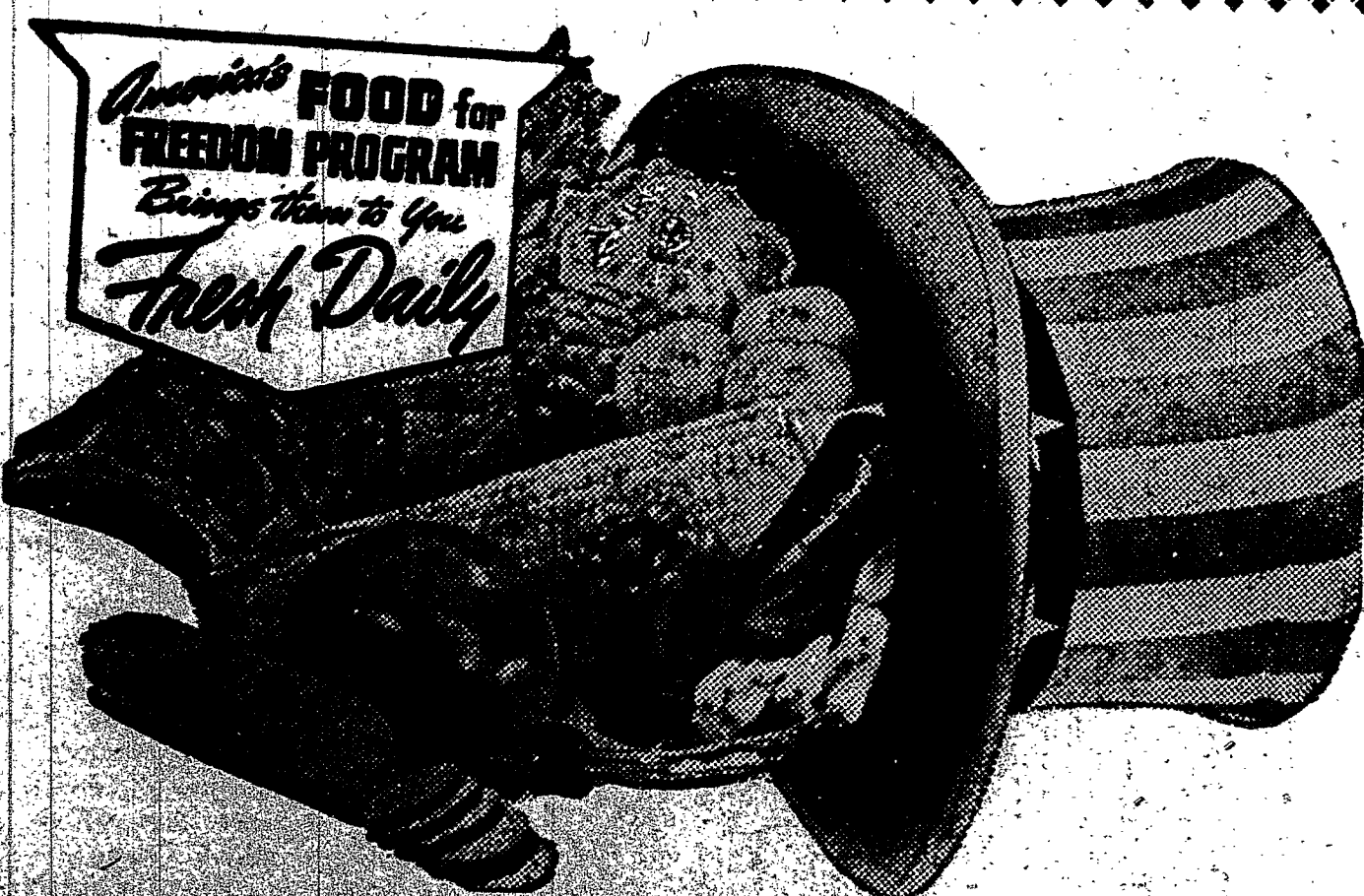
Mrs. Fred Ladner has an infected hand and has been under the doctor's care for the past week.

Mrs. Louise Necaise has received word from her husband, that he is now stationed in Georgia.

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ORTTE THEATRE WED.-THURS., 21-22ND. "FOR ME AND MY GAL"

Judy Garland Stars in Poignant Story of Oldtime Vaudeville

Vaudeville in its glittering heyday, New York's historic Palace Theatre, haunting songs of an era gone by, form a kaleidoscopic background for a poignant romance in "For Me And My Gal," in which Judy Garland is presented at the Ortte Theater Sunday in her first adult role. Recalling the glories of other days to older who loved vaudeville, at the same time it provides a breathless new type of entertainment for youngsters of today, to whom this is new.

Miss Garland plays a young vaudeville singer, in the year 1915, in a small-time act, longing, as all vaudeville players did, for "the big time" and the Palace. She and Gene Kelly, becoming vaudeville partners, fall in love, vow to marry the day they play the Palace—then World War intervenes. Kelly is called. To gain a delay until they can realize their goal, he purposely injures his hand. Judy renounces him and turns camp entertainer. To his dismay he finds the hand injury is permanent, but joining the entertainers in France, he manages by a feat of heroism to redeem himself.

Famous Songs

Famous songs of the vaudeville era, "For Me And My Gal," "Oh You Beautiful Doll," "By the Beautiful Sea," "Oh Johnny," "They Go Wild Over Me" and many others figure in vaudeville acts in which Miss Garland, Kelly and George Murphy appear, and Martha Eggerth in her American screen debut, is glamorous. Busby Berkeley directed skillfully, and the photography by William Daniels adds to the charm of the nostalgic vaudeville sequences and dance spectacles.

Ben Blue, Lucille Norman, Richard uine, Keenan Wynn, Horace McNally and other principals are in the cast. Settings range from small-time theaters in the Middle-West to the Palace in New York at the height of its glory.

Summer School

Summer School will open at Bay St. Louis High School on July 19th and continue through August 27th. Students may take review or new subjects in order to speed up their graduation from High School. Courses in English, History and Mathematics will be offered. Summer school will be operated under the plan approved by the State department of Education and credits earned may be transferred to any other High School. Tuition reasonable. For particulars call or write

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF HANCOCK BANK

of Bay St. Louis, Gulfport and Pass Christian, in the State of Mississippi, at the close of business on June 30th, 1943.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$6,001.57 overdrafts)	\$ 638,852.19
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	3,713,899.79
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	2,873,513.92
Other bonds, notes and debentures	169,390.13
Corporate stocks (including \$ None stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	44,777.50
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	2,336,811.00
Bank premises owned \$65,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$40,201.67	105,201.67
Real estate owned other than bank premises	98,972.23
Other assets	2,225.12
TOTAL ASSETS	\$9,921,649.55
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$5,982,026.20
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,840,068.62
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	604,873.29
Deposits of banks	20,165.21
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	44,869.83
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$9,492,003.15
Other liabilities	11,824.23
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$9,503,827.38
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	290,000.00
Surplus	120,000.00
Undivided profits	422.29
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	7,399.88
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	417,822.17
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$9,921,649.55

This Bank's capital consists of \$ None of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$200,000.00, total retrievable value \$200,000.00; second preferred stock with total par value of \$None; total retrievable value \$None; and common stock with total par value of \$60,000.00.

MEMORANDA	
31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned book value):	
(a) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	793,711.35
TOTAL	793,711.35
32. Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	604,873.29
TOTAL	604,873.29
34. (a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this Bank was	1,196,594.97
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	\$2,336,811.00

I, S. L. Engman, Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest: S. L. ENGMAN, Cashier

LEO W. SEAL
T. A. PARKER
L. P. SWEATT
Directors.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Harrison

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of July, 1943, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

PAUL A. LACY, Notary Public.
My commission expires Feb. 3, 1946.

Congressional Sidelights by Congressman Wm. McColmer

Recess of Congress

The Seventy-Eighth Congress recessed last week after completing action on all pending legislation to permit the members to have a brief rest and to have an opportunity to discuss legislative affairs with their constituents. This is the first recess to be held since 1939, and the Congress has been in session for 1281 of the past 1281 days. The Congress recessed under the agreement that it could immediately be called back into session by the President, the Vice-President and the Speaker of the House, or the Majority and Minority Leaders of the two Houses. The major actions of the 78th Congress in the seven months it has been in session are:

1. Appropriation of some \$115,000,000,000 to carry on the war and operate the necessary home-front agencies.
2. Passage of a wartime strike control act over the President's veto.
3. Repeal of the President's \$25,000 salary limitation order.
4. Extension of the Administration's Reciprocal Trade Agreement.
5. Liquidation of the National Youth Agency, the National Resources Planning Board, and the Federal Crop Insurance Program.
6. Enactment of pay-as-you-go tax legislation.
7. Extension of the Lease-Lend Act.
8. Reduction of funds for the Office of Price Administration and the Office of War Information.
9. Raising of the debt limitation to \$210,000,000,000.
10. Renewal of the Stabilization Act, which permits the buying and selling of foreign currency in order to stabilize its value in relation to the dollar.

Although there has been much disagreement and bitter debate since the session convened in January—which was to be expected since the 78th Congress has among its membership more Republicans than at any time since 1930—there has been no lack of cooperation on war measures. As a matter of fact, the Congress was uniformly united as far as the war effort was concerned, passing all Administration bills with direct war connection, and many with indirect connection.

When the Congress returns to finish the work of the first session, one of the major problems facing the Members will be the writing of new tax legislation. The question of subsidies on farm commodities will no doubt be a live issue when the Congress resumes.

While the recess of the Congress is indefinite, we shall nevertheless pursue our policy heretofore adhered to of not writing this column during the recess of the Congress. When the Congress reconvenes it is our purpose to again resume the column.



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Did you ever wonder how many millions of pounds of yeast are required each year to leaven the nation's bread? Did you know that yeast must be absolutely fresh when it reaches the baker? Thanks to a network of specialized delivery services plus modern refrigeration, bakers in even remote parts of America get their yeast fresh and on time.



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HOME DEDICATED

Among the homes here recently dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus was that of Mrs. Louis Pate who chose Friday, the Feast of the Sacred Heart for the services.

Father Neimeyer, assistant pastor of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, dedicated the home and asked a blessing on Mrs. Pate and on Mr. Pate upon his return as he is out of the States.

Having no relatives in this country Mrs. Pate asked as guests her close friends Mrs. M. W. Briggs, Mrs. Carl Marshall, Mrs. J. A. Evans and Misses Elsie Spori and Dorothy Killen. Father Clark was also present.



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Linking three brilliant Hollywood stars, Robert Taylor, Charles Laughton and Brian Donlevy, M. G. M.'s "Stand By For Action," which will open Sunday at the Ortte Theater brings to the screen the most spectacular and exciting drama of the sea since "Mutiny on the Bounty."

The picture tells the story of a gallant aid destroyer, recommissioned and assigned to convoy duty on the Pacific, and its heroic crew.

Robert Taylor plays a young lieutenant and Donlevy his superior officer. With their men they fight off a mination of a sea attack.

Jap aircraft, stage a successful attack on a battleship, under a smoke screen, and bring a convoy safely into port. Charles Laughton, as an American admiral, has an address that for patriotism and inspiration recalls his famous reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg address.

Its action laid almost entirely at sea on the destroyer, the picture provides many amazing and exciting episodes, made possible through cooperation of the United States Navy. Robert Z. Leonard, usually associated with pictures like "The Great Ziegfeld," directed with deft skill and photography by Charles Rosher was graphic and, in romantic moments, of great beauty.

Comedy is contributed by Walter Brennan as a veteran yeoman and gallant aid destroyer, recommissioned and assigned to convoy duty on the Pacific, and its heroic crew.

Especially exciting is the head-on attack of the destroyer, hidden behind a smoke screen, that sinks a large battleship in the dramatic finale.

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Will Travel Rationing Become Necessary?

In conformity with the wishes of the Office of Defense Transportation—an authorized Government agency with which the L. & N. is fully cooperating in the handling of war-time transportation problems—the Louisville and Nashville Railroad urges passengers to refrain from non-essential travel. The need for this restriction grows out of the necessity of accommodating essential travel, and the present crowded condition of trains.

WHAT IS NON-ESSENTIAL TRAVEL?

The following trips are defined as non-essential:

- Visiting friends in other cities.
- Going home for the week-end.
- Those of a sightseeing nature.
- Any trips merely for social or pleasure purposes, including those for attending conventions, class reunions, etc.
- Attending sporting or athletic events.

The railroads today are carrying nearly four times the passenger traffic they did in 1939, with practically the same amount of equipment. One-half of all available Pullman cars and one-third the number of coaches are being used now for transporting military personnel in special cars or special trains.

VACATION TRIPS

It is desirable, first, that vacations be spent at, or as near, home as possible. However, where journeys are involved, observance of the following would be helpful:

- Spread vacation period over the whole year, instead of the usual concentration during June, July and August.
- Commence and terminate vacations on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays (relatively light travel days).
- Vacation trips should, in no circumstances, involve travel during holiday periods.

Take entire vacation at one time instead of splitting it into several shorter periods, involving perhaps more than one trip.

Essential war needs prevent the construction of additional passenger train equipment. Travelers must be prepared to encounter delayed arrivals and crowded conditions of the trains, and a lack of some of the usual travel comforts.

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The Sea Coast Echo

City Echoes

—Mrs. Albert Marx of Houston, Texas, is the guest here of her uncle and aunt Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Shipp.

—Mrs. Clemence Chadwick is at Hendersonville, North Carolina for the remainder of the summer.

—Mrs. Mildred Machesseau of New Orleans was the guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Boh.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hamilton and two sons are occupying their summer home in Waveland.

—The Youth Fellowship group of the Main Street Methodist church enjoyed a barbecue supper at the McDonald pit on Thursday evening.

—Miss Ann Weston left Monday for Memphis, Tenn., where she will be the guest of Miss Ann Woolard of that city.

—Miss Mathilda Surian of Biloxi was the recent guest here of her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pitalo.

—Mrs. Emily Lacoste and her sister-in-law Miss Evelyn Lacoste have taken an apartment at "Hill Top" on South Beach.

—Mrs. J. E. Erwin is visiting Capt. Erwin at Duke University where he is attending an officers' school for higher training.

—Mrs. Reginald Blaize, Sr., is visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Blaize, Jr., at El Dorado, Ark.

—Warren and Alton Sick reported a nice catch of white and speckled trout at Grassy Point Tuesday morning.

—Mrs. Louis Pate was guest speaker at the Picayune Rotary Club on Friday of last week. Mrs. Pate addressed the club on "Know America Better."

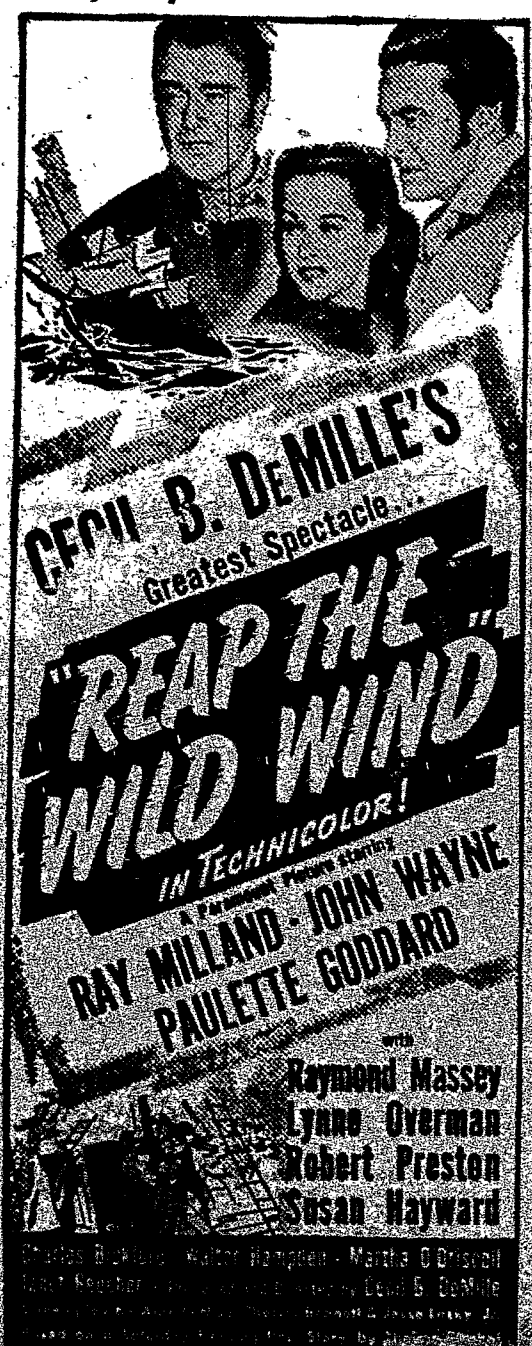
—Mrs. Alice Buckley left last week for New Orleans where she will make her home in the future. She will be located at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. B. Crisler.

—Jasper Lader of DeLisle, who is with the U. S. Army stationed at Nashville, Tenn., spent part of his recent furlough in Bay St. Louis as guest of friends.

—Mr. Paul Thriftly and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Leonard and children of New Orleans spent Sunday here picnicking and seeing friends and relatives.

A. & G. Theater

Sun.-Mon.-Tues.
July 18-19-20



INTERESTING WEDDING

IN NEW ORLEANS
Miss Jackie Graves and Lieutenant Ross of New Orleans were quietly married on Friday, July 19 in New Orleans, the Rev. Father Flinnigan performing the ceremony with only members of the two families present.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Louise Davis Spencer formerly of Bay St. Louis and a niece of Eugene Davis of this city.

The bride wore an afternoon dress of light blue worn with white accessories and her corsage was of gardenias and forget-me-nots. She had as her only attendant Miss Daisy Ross, sister of the bridegroom and Lt. Ross had as his best man Freeman Bennet.

The young couple left for a short honeymoon on the coast after which Lt. Ross will return to his post in New Mexico where Mrs. Ross will join him later.

The Echo extends to these young people best wishes for a long and happy life.

ENTERTAINS ON WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Mrs. Edmund Fahey, Sr., entertained Tuesday evening at her home in Bay View Court honoring Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Fahey, Jr., and Mrs. George di Benedetto on the occasion of their wedding anniversaries.

The affair was very informal and Mrs. Fahey limited her guest list to members of the families and a few very close friends.

All regretted the absence of Mr. di Benedetto who is in the service.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson left Saturday for Rockford, Illinois, to visit their son Robert Johnson who is in the Medical Corps of the U. S. Army stationed at Camp Grant.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. Spotorno, two daughters Miss Joyce and Geraldine Spotorno and son Gerald Spotorno from Memphis, Tenn., are visiting relatives here.

—Mrs. Joseph Favre has returned from a visit to her husband Private Joseph W. Favre who has been stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas and who has recently been transferred.

—Miss Margie Horlock who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Herby Hospital arrived home yesterday and is recuperating at her home here.

—Chas. J. Favre, son of Frank Favre of Edwardsville, has been home on furlough and will leave Saturday to return to Camp Breckinridge, Kentucky, where he has been stationed.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cuevas of Fenton announce the birth of a son, Milton Cyril on July 7. The baby is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Schmidt of Bay St. Louis, a resident of Main street.

—Mrs. Estelle Mack and son Richard of Chicago are visiting at the home of Mrs. Mack's brother-in-law and sister Lieutenant and Mrs. J. E. Ritter at home in Sycamore street.

—Horace Ruhr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Ruhr of Waveland, home on furlough, left Wednesday evening, for San Diego, California, where he is now stationed. He is a member of the Marine Corps.

—Paul C. Bourgeois, home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bourgeois of Waveland, left Thursday to return to Camp Gruber, Oklahoma where he has been stationed.

—Mrs. E. J. Arceneaux, her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Bernheim of Gulfport and her young son Andre Arceneaux are visiting at Iota, Louisiana, where they are guests of Mrs. Arceneaux's mother, Mrs. Jules Menou.

—Cpl. Robert W. Miller, is home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Miller at Flat Top, after having been on maneuvers in Tennessee. He will leave Saturday to return to Camp Forest, Tennessee.

—Bill Strieff, having completed his basic training at the Naval Training Station, Bainbridge, Md., is home on furlough visiting his wife and family at Gulfport. He was a visitor to Bay St. Louis on Tuesday of this week, calling on his many friends here.

—The former Bertucci property on Washington street road has been sold to St. Martin Dupaquier who will develop it as a home. Mr. Dupaquier is a brother of Walter Dupaquier who owns a home in that section where he and his family live.

—Flight Officer E. J. Arceneaux, Jr., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Arceneaux, Sr., lying down from Alliance, Nebraska where he is now stationed. Ed, Jr. is looking fine and is gaining weight. He is now a Troop Transport Pilot.

—Mrs. W. O. Sylvester left Tuesday for Jackson and other points in Central Mississippi where she will visit relatives. Mrs. Sylvester will be met in Jackson by her son Lieutenant Colonel Ellis Sylvester who enroute from Indian Gap, Penn., will stop there for a day.

—This is the evening set for their recreation and each Thursday some feature of entertainment is enjoyed. Mrs. Ed Rosen is the leader of the group. There were present on Thursday evening besides the young people and Mrs. Rosen Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Samples and Mrs. C. C. McDonald.

—Freeman Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis of Gainesville has recently been promoted to the rank of Sergeant. He has been stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., basic training center of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command. Prior to his induction into the Army on August 12, 1942, he was employed by the Hancock County Gravel Company. He attended Bay High School in Bay St. Louis.



Sergeant and Mrs. Mason W. Smith, Jr., were recently married in New Orleans. The bride was the former Miss Lora Mae Ard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Ard of New Orleans, granddaughter of Mrs. J. W. Burns and the late Mayor Gaston G. Gardebled of this city. The newlyweds are now making their home in San Marcos, Texas, where Sgt. Smith is now stationed.

ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith of Wiggins announce the marriage of their daughter Miss Eleanor Smith of Wiggins and Bay St. Louis to Private First Class Shelman Davis of Wiggins now stationed on the West Coast.

The wedding was celebrated on July 5 at the home of the bride's parents with only members of the two families present.

The bride wore a street length dress of white crepe and had as bridesmaid her sister Miss Lucel Smith and Pfc. Davis had as best man Ralph Pixley of Ottawa, Ills.

The bride is a graduate of Mississippi Southern College and has served as county demonstration agent in Hancock County for several years.

The bridegroom is well known here having been in charge of the AAA office here later going to Columbia as administrator of AAA.

After a honeymoon spent on the coast Pfc. Davis returned to the west coast where he is on maneuvers. Mrs. Davis will continue her work here until such time that she can join him.

The Echo joins their friends in wishing a long happy life where no war clouds gather.

TO ATTEND WEDDING OF SON JULY 17

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McDonald and sons Fred and Jimmie will leave on Saturday, July 17 for Anniston, Alabama, to attend the wedding of their son Lieutenant David McDonald and Miss Lucile Smith who will be married on the evening of July 17 at the Baptist Church at Anniston.

No invitations to the wedding issued but there will be a small reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell of Anniston. Mrs. Campbell is the former Miss Mary Elba Marshall of this city.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Schubert of Waveland, Miss., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their only daughter, Mary M. Schubert, to Private William H. Tolpke, son of Mrs. Alma Tolpke and the late Mr. Edward Tolpke of Cincinnati, Ohio.

The announcement will claim much interest here and in New Orleans where both young people have a host of friends.

GIVEN BIRTHDAY PARTY

Diana Morrison was given a birthday party Sunday July 4 at the home of her aunt, Mrs. P. J. Luparello in New Orleans. Colors were red, white and blue.

Those present were: Nancy Jean Bosch, Gaeta Bosch, Lynn McCulloch, Joyce D. Creel, Donald Nenzitz, Linda Kreeger, Jerry Kreeger and others.

Mr. Morrison is in the U. S. Navy and could not be present at his daughter's second birthday party.

AT CAMP CROFT



PVT. FRANK DAWSEY

Pvt. Frank Dawsey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Dawsey of Logtown. He is in the United States Army and is located at Camp Croft, South Carolina.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish through this medium, to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation to our many friends and others who assisted us in any way during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Angelina Lader, and for the many beautiful floral offerings. Special thanks to Rev. A. J. Gmelch and Rev. John Neimeyer and the Fahey Funeral Home.

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U. S. FLIERS OUTFIGHT JAPS EIGHT TO ONE

South Pacific Headquarters, July 15—American airmen outfought the Japanese in combat on a ratio of more than 8 to 1 over the Solomon Islands during the period from June 30 through July 13, a spokesman for Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., disclosed.

Japanese losses in bombers and fighters that fortnight, the first of the Americans Central Solomons invasion were 211. Of these, 101 were shot down the opening day of the attack June 30. (The American losses were not given officially, but from the ratio stated, it was evident that they numbered about 25.)

BIDS FOR DEFENSE ROAD TO BE OPENED

Baton Rouge, La., July 14—Sealed bids for construction of a defense access road and bridge relocation project will be opened at 10 a. m. Wednesday, July 21 by the Louisiana department of highways in the capitol.

The road is located in Vernon parish and is 4.45 miles in length. The project calls for bituminous surface treatment on sand clay gravel base. The bridge relocation project is in Cameron parish on the Sulphur Hackberry Highway, Route 104, over Bayou Kelo. In addition to erecting new spans and approaches, the project calls for removal of four existing bridges.

Co-operative Marketing In Mississippi a Success

Jackson, Miss., July 15—All officers were re-elected at the annual meeting yesterday of the Mississippi Federated Co-operative Stockholders, who were told by Manager Charlie McNeil that the M. F. C. did a \$9,000,000 business in the past year to

top all previous records. W. M. Durr, Mendenhall, president reported the co-operatives sold \$300,000 worth of eggs last year and plan to sell up to \$1,000,000 worth this year. Cotton, marketing and seed and fertilizer purchases were other large items handled by the organization.

—Rev. R. J. Kirschenheuter, C. M. who has been visiting in Bay St. Louis returned to New Orleans on Thursday. He will return Saturday.



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